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The Nicest, Cheapest and best line of goods ever offered to the trade.

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Purchasers of Dry Goods and Millinery should know where to find the Best Assortment, the Newest and Best Styles, and the Most Goods for the Least Money. We honestly believe we fill the bill. "Inspection solicited."

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THE  
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LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

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ATTENTION ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

July 18-1882

## The Daily Republican.

TERMS.  
Per week, payable to order, 15 Cts.  
One year, in advance, \$7.00  
Six Months, " 3.50  
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TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 12, 1882.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Just received a fine assortment of Bisque Figures, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co's.

EMMA BOND is still alive.

MILITARY event next Monday evening.

A quiet wedding is booked for Tuesday evening, Oct. 12th.

Another church wedding to-morrow evening.

HOUSEBAC riding is all the rage among Decatur girls and young ladies.

WAINMAN'S Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, 19 d&wt

SOCIABLE at the tabernacle Thursday night.

See Mather in "Romeo and Juliet" Thursday evening.

BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS and Publications at Linn & Scruggs. Sept 18 d&wt

SCHROEDER'S celebrated Bohemian cigars are always in demand. Ask all first-class dealers for them.

There will be a social hop at the home of Neptune No. 3 to-night, for which Whitehall will furnish the music.

A SPLENDID stock of ladies' fine stationery, embracing the very newest styles, at Wallace's Book Store. 18 d&wt

A new base ball club has been organized at Casser Station. That town now has two clubs.

CALL on Niedermyer, at his family grocery on the Mound, when in need of fine flour, fresh butter and reliable eggs.

More new Chromos, Velvet Frames, Stereoscopes and Views, at Wallace's Book Store. Sept 18 d&wt

A new walk is to be put down at once on North street, between Main and Church, on the north side.

The celebrated Haines Bros' pianos may be found in all well-furnished households. C. B. Prescott is the Decatur agent for the sale of these instruments.

SWISS oysters, the first of the season, and the best in the land, now on sale at Frank Hall's Oyster Bay, on North Main street. 10 d&wt

A fair and festival will be given at the tabernacle on Oct. 11 to 13th inclusive for the benefit of the German Lutheran Church.

There will be a social gathering at the residence of Philip Rebsamen this evening. Dancing will be one of the features of the occasion.

A BARGAIN. A strictly first-class new organ for sale at a sacrifice, at Wallace's book store. Must be sold soon to make room for other goods. 18 d&wt

There has been a big take of seats for the Mather dramatic performance Thursday night. There are many choice seats left.

For good-fitting and well-trimmed, well-made suits, see Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. Sept 7 d&wt

The new maple floor has been laid in Thomas Andrews' billiard hall, and the six new tables will be put up at once. Probably several of them will be in position to-night.

The delayed investigation as to the condition of the books and accounts of the former receivers of the Millland road, was resumed this afternoon.

Ed. Bassey rises to remark that it is hard to kill a "Dutchman," but he had a narrow escape yesterday all the same. He goes about now limping and supporting himself with a cane.

MR. W. H. BRAMBLE has his patent metallic postoffice box on exhibition in the window at Close, Griswold & Co's hardware store. Take a look at it and see how that new wrinkle in locks operates.

As up-town office of the Western Coal Yard has been established in the vestibule of the Universalist Church, with Mr. J. S. McDouland in charge. Leave your orders with him.

The telephone line to be built between Lincoln and Springfield is now under process of erection. The route laid out is the wagon road. Stations will be located in Elkhat and Broadwell.

THAT vocal music near Stapp's Chapel last evening, that was heard a few minutes before the wedding, caused quite a sensation inside the church. It was a good omen.

BEFORE George S. Yates can be taken to the lunatic asylum, permission for his admission must first be secured. A copy of the verdict was sent to the superintendent of the Jacksonville asylum yesterday.

TATS fall Mr. Isaac Shellabarger will spend several hundred dollars in tiling his Blue Mound farm. He will lay about 10,000 tiles. The work is at a standstill at present because the gentleman cannot get Smith tile.

WHEN their new quarters in the new Masonic building are completed Young Bros. will engage exclusively in the wholesale grocery business. It is a pushing firm and will succeed in its new departure.

THE Decatur Rescues are resting on their oars at present. The promised prize tournament at Chicago has collapsed for want of financial backing, and there will be no state tournament this year. Next year the state tournament will probably be held in Chicago.

The mortal remains of Isaac Bowman, a tramp aged 21 years, who died of typhoid fever at the poor house last night, were interred in the Potter's Field at Greenwood this afternoon. The tramp's home was in West Virginia, and he came here two weeks ago from Chicago in a box car.

W. A. DOYLE, a law student in the office of J. M. Clokey, Esq., has placed upon our table a huge apple of the Pippin variety. It comes from the orchard of Mr. E. M. Doyle, father of the donor, near Monmouth. It weighs nearly 2 pounds and is 1 1/2 inches in circumference.

News comes from Taylorville that Miss Bond's condition is very dangerous. She has congestion of the bowels and stomach, and has begun to swell and bloat and is still getting worse. The doctors say that she cannot live long in this condition, for the pain and agony is such that she is likely to pass away at any moment.

Attention, 116th Regt. Ill. Vol.

All members of the 116th Regiment Ill. Volunteers are requested to meet at the court house in Decatur, Ill., on Saturday, Oct. 7th, 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M.

IRA N. BARNES, President.

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School books, new and second-hand, of every kind, and lots of them. Also headquarters for base balls and base ball goods. HYBARD & SWEARTWIGS.

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## JOYOUS WEDDING BELLS.

Happy Marriage at Stapp's Chapel Witnessed by a Fashionable Throng of People.

The Decorations, Toilettes, and Reception.

STARR-PAYNE.

The nuptials of Mr. JOSEPH S. STARR, the younger son of Mrs. J. G. Starr, and Miss LAURA L. PAYNE, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Payne, were solemnized last evening at Stapp's Chapel at 8:20 o'clock, in the presence of a large and fashionably attired company of relatives and invited friends of the contracting parties. Promptly at the hour named, the bridal party entered from the west vestibule and passed up the broad aisle to the enraptured music of Mendelssohn's grand wedding march played skillfully by Miss Minnie La Roe, in the following order: Mr. Ellis Armstrong and Mr. M. Strader, ushers; Mr. John S. Kistly and Miss May Adams, Mr. Le Grande Payne and Miss Maria Loughbom, attendants, followed by Joe and Laura. On reaching the altar, where the officiating clergyman awaited the party, the music ceased, and the solemn words which made the young couple husband and wife, were impressively spoken by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Musgrove. The ceremony was beautiful and brief, and included a fervent prayer. The bridal party first left the church followed by relatives, and then the assembly vacated the scene of the interesting event.

THE TOILETS.

The bride, who is a brunette, was becomingly attired in a beautiful dress of cream-colored India mull, and wore a stately bodice of cream satin; trimmings, Spanish lace; the only ornaments were lilies of the valley. The bride carried a hand bouquet of white flowers. The two bridesmaids wore dotted swiss dresses, trimmed with Spanish lace, and the gentlemen appeared in conventional black.

PLEASING DECORATIONS.

A number of young friends of the couple had decorated the interior of the audience room in a most beautiful and tasteful manner. About the altar on either side of the sacred desk were scattered growing plants, blooming flowers, bouquets and ferns in great profusion, and at the right of the minister, directly in front of the bride, rested a large floral pillow of red and white flowers with the word "Love" imbedded in the center.

Three large arches of fresh evergreens were placed along the aisle, and from two of them were hung baskets of cut flowers. The one near the altar was decorated with an emblem of good luck, a white floral horse shoe, and on either side of the graceful arch were tube roses in great abundance.

THE RECEPTION.

The reception, held at the home of the bride's parents, No. 78 North Church street, immediately after the ceremony, was attended only by the immediate relatives of the newly married couple and a very few friends. The marriage feast, which was prepared with especial care by the bride's mother, was elegant, and was served in abundance. The bride was the recipient of a great number of useful and costly gifts, and many good wishes for the happiness of herself and her chosen companion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Starr took possession of their cozy home at No. 44 West Wood street last night, and are now "at home" to their friends. The dwelling was furnished complete by the provident groom before the wedding, and without going abroad to "see the world," the young couple have at once gone to housekeeping. The Republican joins their many friends in wishing them unlimited joy and prosperity.

IMPROVED BROS. have purchased of Tom C. Poston, Stonington, Ill., thirty head of choice grade Short Horn and Hereford cows and heifers. These animals are now being slaughtered from day to day for Imboden Bros' trade, and the public should avail themselves of this opportunity to procure cuts of beef from these fine young cattle.

In many of the counties of this state the local assessors fail to assess the poles, wires and tangible property belonging to foreign telegraph companies. The State Board of Equalization, at a late meeting, decided that the county clerk should call the attention of assessors to this fact, and that it is their duty to assess and list all such property.

EXTENSIVE preparations are being made for a grand reunion of veterans of the 10th Illinois Cavalry, to be held at Sidney, east of Decatur, on the main line of the Wabash, on Sept. 21 and 22. A large attendance is expected of all old soldiers. There will be addresses by Hon. R. C. Wright, Homer; W. A. Crawley, Jacksonville; Maj. J. A. Connelly, Charleston; Rev. B. F. Springer and Major Mahoney, Springfield, and General John C. Black, Danville.

ANOTHER diabolical outrage is reported to have been committed at Taylorville on Saturday last. The victim is Nellie Orman, aged 13, daughter of Charles Orman. The accused is Amerious E. Good, aged 23. Good is in jail in default of \$500 bail, and will have a hearing on the 22d instant. The deed has awakened fresh indignation among the people of Christian county, who are represented as being ripe for any violent action that will rid the community of these devils in human form.

TO-day the Decatur Rescues made their sworn answer to the claims of the Muscatine professional runners for the \$600 cash prize and horse cart. The principal answer is signed by George Kraft, captain of the Decatur Rescues, and an answer is also made by C. P. Housman. Circuit court will convene at Muscatine on the 26th inst., and our boys' lawyers will fight for all there is in the controversy. We learn that one of the Muscatine claimants is anxious to effect a compromise, but the other members of the company will not agree to such a disposition of the case. The trial, if it ever comes up, will bring to light no end of fraud on the side of the Iowa clads.

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## THE WORK BEGINS.

Decatur to be Connected by Telephone with Springfield Within a Month.

The Central Illinois Telephone Company, of which F. G. Beach, of Chicago, is general superintendent, and C. H. Wilson, of the same city, assistant superintendent, has commenced the work of connecting Decatur with the state capital and the enterprise will be completed and in talking order within three or four weeks. The poles are now laid down for a distance of two miles west of the city. The hardest part of the work is placing the poles in position. A force of seven men with several teams are now on duty. The line to be followed is West Main street and the Springfield wagon road to Harris-town, thence a short distance south of the Wabash to Niantic, Illinois, Dawson, Buffalo, Riverton, thence on the road-way to Springfield. After the poles are up, it will take but a short time to place the single wire, 45 miles in length, in position. But one wire will be strung up at present, but if business demands it four more can be put on the poles. The cost of constructing the line will aggregate about \$4,500, but it will be a permanent thing, and experience convinces the company that the enterprise will pay, as it will afford a cheaper and more satisfactory means of transacting business between merchants and others in towns connected with the line than by telegraph. The rates for a five or ten minutes' talk have not yet been established, but they will be made known in the time. Each resident of Decatur having an instrument in his house or place of business can call up the Central Exchange, and his wire can be connected with the Springfield wire so that he can talk with any one in any of the towns along the route, and after awhile, when the grand circuit is completed, one in Decatur may talk by telephone with parties in Bloomington, Lincoln, Peoria, Clinton, Danville, Champaign, Taylorville, Tuscola, Paris, Pana, Terre Haute, and even more distant places.

Mr. J. Manlove Smith, late of Des Moines, Iowa, is superintending the work of building the telephone line between Decatur and Springfield, and promises that if the weather is favorable, to have it completed within a month's time.

A West End Scare.

This morning an old German woman, wearing a sun bonnet, and carrying a market basket on her arm, hastened up to Marshal Howe's, who was then engaged in a chat with two of his lieutenants, and a reporter, and in an excited manner she said: "Mister Marsial, dere's 2 tramps ray out on Main street in front of mine house, and dey haf a revolver; come take them away; come right away, quick," and that was all she had to say. She left as quickly as she came, and for a time the officers were at a loss to know just where the tramps were making trouble; but Officer Brewer happened to know the place and he started off to find the troublesome vagrants. There are plenty of "tramps" whose homes are in Decatur who ought to be run in. A favorite resort for some of them on Sundays is in the Howell pasture in the fourth ward, where they spend the hours in playing cards, yelling and singing, and carrying on generally in a shameful manner. It needs no formal complaint to secure the arrest of vagrants. They are known to police officers by their habits and ought to be collared wherever found.

A Fair Report.

Report of tardiness in the schools for the week ending Friday, Sept. 15, '82.

FIRST WARD.

No. 1. No. 2. No. 3. No. 4. No. 5. No. 6. No. 7. No. 8. No. 9. No. 10. No. 11. No. 12. No. 13. No. 14. No. 15. No. 16. No. 17. No. 18. No. 19. No. 20. No. 21. No. 22. No. 23. No. 24. No. 25. No. 26. No. 27. No. 28. No. 29. No. 30. No. 31. No. 32. No. 33. No. 34. No. 35. No. 36. No. 37. No. 38. No. 39. No. 40. No. 41. No. 42. No. 43. No. 44. No. 45. No. 46. No. 47. No. 48. No. 49. No. 50. No. 51. No. 52. No. 53. No. 54. No. 55. No. 56. No. 57. No. 58. No. 59. No. 60. No. 61. No. 62. No. 63. No. 64. No. 65. No. 66. No. 67. No. 68. No. 69. No. 70. No. 71. No. 72. No. 73. No. 74. No. 75. No. 76. No. 77. No. 78. No. 79. No. 80. No. 81. No. 82. No. 83. No. 84. No. 85. No. 86. No. 87. No. 88. No. 89. No. 90. No. 91. No. 92. No. 93. No. 94. No. 95. No. 96. No. 97. No. 98. No. 99. No. 100. No. 101. No. 102. No. 103. No. 104. No. 105. No. 106. No. 107. No. 108. No. 109. No. 110. No. 111. No. 112. No. 113. No. 114. No. 115. No. 116. No. 117. No. 118. No. 119. No. 120. No. 121. No. 122. No. 123. 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